

FOOD PURCHASE REPORT

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Service

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USDA REJECTS AND OFFERS TO BUY: FROZEN COOKED DICED CHICKEN

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) today announced that offers of frozen cooked diced chicken for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs were rejected due to price considerations.

Next offers under Announcement PY-324 are due by 12 noon, Central Time, on the following date:

Inv. Number	Product Type	Offer Date	Acceptance Not Later Than Date	Delivery Period
9	diced chicken	Oct. 15	Oct. 19	Dec. 1-15

Total purchases of frozen cooked diced chicken since the program was announced on May 30, 2007, follow:

Product	Cumulative Pounds	Cumulative Dollars
diced chicken	3,200,000	\$ 6,461,000

Inquiries may be made by telephoning (202) 720-7693 or addressing the Contracting Officer; USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260; 1400 Independence Ave., SW; Washington, D.C. 20250. An electronic version of this Food Purchase Report can be obtained through the world-wide-web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

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